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## Former Army Man Given Sentence Of Life Imprisonment

**Found Guilty of Killing Young Wife Last Summer**  
**JURY OUT 20 HOURS**  
**Jury Decides Guilt But Unable to Agree on Punishment**

JACKSON, Miss.—(P)—E. C. Lohr, former army officer, was found guilty Tuesday of the murder of his 26 year old wife and sentenced to life imprisonment.

Lohr, a native of Indiana, had held commissions as both Captain and Major in the United States army.

He was indicted for the murder of his wife and her mother, Mrs. Hansie Nixon, Sr., but was only tried on the one charge.

The defense offered testimony at the trial to show that Lohr was suffering from temporary insanity at the time of the killing.

The case was turned over to the jury at 4:30 Monday afternoon and after a 20-hour deliberation they reported their verdict of guilty as charged in the indictment, but were unable to agree on the punishment. The only course left was for the Judge, Wiley H. Potter to sentence the man.

The two women were slain with a pistol in the Lohr home the early part of last summer.

## Arkansas Dentists End Annual Session

**Clinical Demonstrations Mark Close of the Meeting**

TEXARKANA.—Members of the southwest district of the Arkansas Dental Association concluded a two-day annual session here Monday after having spent most of the day in attendance on what was described as one of the most instructive practical clinical demonstrations ever witnessed by the body.

The clinic, conducted by L. Z. McClung, Birmingham, was a porcelain jacket crown case. A Texarkana woman patient was the subject, and the demonstration was conducted in a downtown office. It was followed by a paper and motion picture illustrations at the night meeting.

The dentists had lunch at Hotel Grim and dinner at the Elks Club, electing new officers at the evening session. Sunday was featured by a golf tournament, luncheon and dinner.

The dinner Monday was given by the Texarkana Dental Society. A. W. Truitt, Prescott, Rowe Smith and C. C. Thompson composed the convention's program committee.

McClung's demonstration consisted of preparing the tooth impression, baking of porcelain, and cementing finished case in place.

## Series of Lectures Planned at U. of A.

**Dean Walter Miller Will Conduct Lecture Program**

PAYETTEVILLE.—(UP)—Dean Walter Miller, former head of the graduate school of the University of Missouri, will give the first of a series of lectures November 28, at the University of Arkansas auditorium. His lectures will extend through November 30.

On Friday night at 8 p. m., Dr. Miller will speak on "The City of the Future," using lantern slides in illustrating his talk. Saturday afternoon he will speak on "The Aeneid Cruise," before a group of faculty members and students of the Latin and art students. He will trace Aeneas on a course from Troy to Italy.

## Gales in France Ruin Famous Walnut Crop

PARIS.—(UP)—American families will have to ration out walnuts this Thanksgiving and Christmas, for the gales which tore through the Dauphine walnut groves wrought disaster to the magnificent old trees.

The terrific storms broke just as the crop was being collected and a goodly portion of nuts were thrown to the ground with such force that they burst.

Farmers believe that it will be a quarter of a century before these walnut forests will recover their beauty and full productivity.

## Dynamite Blows Stump Into School, Kills Child



This picture shows how a rural school at Ironton, Ohio, was wrecked when workmen on a nearby highway project set off a charge of dynamite under a tree stump. The explosive hurled the 400-pound stump high into the air and it crashed through the school roof. One boy, James Dean, 12, was killed and six others were hurt. The arrow points to the stump.

## Banks Open at Ozan Stamps and McNeil

**State Department Issues Statement That More Will Open Soon**

LITTLE ROCK.—(P)—Three additional banks in the state, suspending last week announced their reopening Tuesday. These additional banks have increased the number opening in the state to ten.

Those opening Tuesday were: Bank of Ozan, at Ozan; Bank of McNeil, at McNeil and the Bank of Stamps, at Stamps.

Six reopened Monday and one the latter part of last week.

The state banking department issued a statement Tuesday, saying that a number of other banks would open for business within a few days.

## State Builds Model Prison For Women

**Newest Experiment in the Welfare Work Result of Long Fight**

DWIGHT, Ill.—(UP)—A model reformatory, equipped with the latest devices to aid in salvaging women criminals of more than 16 years of age is the State of Illinois' latest experiment in Public Welfare Work.

It was sponsored by the state's clubwomen, who fought for the passage of appropriations through two sessions of the state legislature. The institution, known as the State Reformatory for Women, was erected here during the last year at a cost of over a million dollars.

According to Rodney H. Brandon, director of the State Department of Public Welfare, the eight large, red brick cottages will eventually accommodate 250 women. Present arrangements will care for 100.

Opportunities for classification, medical care and training for self support are some of the provisions included in the "curriculum."

The building plants were so arranged that the inmates of the cottages may be classified and grouped properly and their occupations and training diversified, Brandon declared.

Under the law girls of 16, to women of higher ages may be committed to the reformatory when their sentence is for six months and longer.

In case of any woman prisoner having the custody of a child under one year of age at the time of her commitment or giving birth to a child after her commitment she will be allowed to keep the child until it becomes one year of age after which it will be either turned over to relatives or friends or placed in a public institution.

## A. F. Hanegan Suffers From Dose of Poison

AMBROSE F. Hanegan, city salesman for the Ritchie Grocer company and well known local citizen, of 821 South Elm street, was admitted to Julia Chester hospital Monday night suffering from poisoning. Dr. P. B. Carrigan, who waited on him, said Mr. Hanegan apparently was very ill and had taken poison by mistake. He was treated Monday night at the hospital and returned home Tuesday morning. Dr. Carrigan said he would probably be at work Wednesday.

## Bulletins

LITTLE ROCK.—(P)—A meeting of the State Depository Board was called for Tuesday afternoon. The meeting is for the purpose of determining the amount of state funds in the banks that are closed in the state.

WASHINGTON.—(P)—President Hoover said Tuesday that a recent announcement of a Treasury regulation in regard to "barricade goods" manufactured by convict labor was not included against Russia.

OXFORD, England.—(P)—J. P. Morgan, wearing a flowing scarlet gown walked through the Isles of the University hall here to receive the highest honor of the English University.

WASHINGTON.—(P)—President Hoover said Tuesday that a report that he would propose to Congress a new law to stop "Gangster activities" was unfounded. The president said we do not need new laws but need the old laws put into force.

BENTONVILLE, Ark.—(P)—On his way from the jail to the court house to stand trial on a liquor charge, George Osenton, 65 dropped dead Tuesday.

## Police Seeking Bomb Throwers

**Report Arkadelphia Quarrel Had Connection With Theatre Affair**

HOT SPRINGS.—City and county officers failed Monday to locate the person responsible for placing stench and sulphur bombs in theatres here Sunday night, although every effort was made to find a young man who was known to have visited the theatres and is under suspicion.

The two motion picture operators from Arkadelphia, Snyder Poyner and Cecil Williams, who with two girls they brought here yesterday to see a show at one of the theatres, were released this morning and returned home. Officers were convinced, they said, that the quarrel had nothing to do with the affair.

The moving picture houses resumed business Monday afternoon with all signs of the depredations removed. The odor of the stench bomb had been eliminated and business was up to capacity. They are featuring big productions.

The condition of Patrolman John Haynes, who is at the Leo N. Levi hospital, his left side and both hands burned, was a little improved Tuesday. Haynes came into possession of some of the sulphur tablets, which were about the size of a marshmallow, officers said, and placed them in an envelope in his vest pocket. Contact with the air probably caused the combustion.

## Walker Appointed as Insurance Co. Receiver

LITTLE ROCK.—(P)—Elmo E. Walker, Tuesday filed a security bond for \$200,000 after being appointed receiver for the Home Fire and Home Accident Insurance companies of Arkansas.

The two companies were ordered into receivership Monday by W. E. Floyd, state insurance commissioner. \$100,000 was posted for each company, it was not announced at noon Tuesday whether this bond had been accepted or not.

## C. of C. Campaign Begun This Week

**Committees Obtaining Excellent Results For 1931 Budget**

One hundred per cent renewals on Hope Chamber of Commerce memberships were reported Tuesday by the first canvassing team to launch the annual membership campaign.

Five committees will visit every part of the business district Tuesday, Wednesday, and the balance of this week. A detailed report of their results is expected in a day or two from chamber of commerce offices in the city hall.

The campaign is being directed by the chamber's financial committee, raising the annual budget required for salaries and other routine expense of the chamber during 1931.

## Spanish Airman Quits Jail Cell

**He and Companion Break Out and Leave, Search Made For Them**

MADRID.—(P)—Mapor Ramon Franco, Spain's premier aviator who Friday was sentenced to eight months imprisonment for alleged seditious utterances, escaped Monday from the cell where he was incarcerated more than a month. Another aviator, Eduardo Reyes, escaped with Franco. They forced the cell window.

Authorities said they were not watched closely and had given their word of honor they would not attempt a breakaway. Franco's offences were commonly construed to have reference to alleged republican activities. He had made a flight from Palos, Spain, to Pernambuco, Brazil, in 1926. His second trans-Atlantic attempt failed when he was forced down near the Azores and was lost for a week.

## Air Line to Open About February 15

**Inauguration of Route Through Little Rock Is Delayed**

NASHVILLE, Tenn.—(P)—Ray C. Whitaker, a representative of Universal Aviation Corporation, announced here that the proposed Louisville-Dallas air mail route will be opened about February 15, and not December 1 as originally planned.

Whitaker said the United States Department of Commerce recommended the postponement pending erection of additional beacons.

Little Rock, Memphis and Nashville are scheduled stopping points. Continental Air Lines, a subsidiary of Universal Aviation Corporation, has the mail contract.

## Barn at Garland City Is Destroyed By Fire

GARLAND CITY, Ark.—Fire, believed to have originated by spontaneous combustion, destroyed a large hay and stock barn on the Jess Smith plantation near here. The loss was estimated at \$1000. No insurance was carried.

## Man Pleads Guilty; Sentenced On Two Charges Tuesday

**Robber of Bank at Lowell Given Seven Year Sentence**

**MONEY RECOVERED**  
**Had Formerly Served a Term in Ft. Leavenworth Prison**

BENTONVILLE, Ark.—(P)—Pleading guilty to a charge of burglary, and grand larceny, Archie Jones, 23, was sentenced to seven years, for robbing the Bank of Lowell at Lowell, November 8.

Jones was sentenced to five years on the bank robbing charge and two years on the charge of grand larceny.

The man is a former convict, having served time at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. He was captured a few hours after the bank robbery at Lowell by a quickly organized posse.

All of the money taken from the bank, about \$1,200 was found in his possession.

## Union Services at Methodist Church

**Rev. W. A. Bowen, Pastor of Baptist Church to Preach Sermon**

There will be union Thanksgiving services at the Methodist church in this city Wednesday evening, beginning at 7:30 p. m.

Rev. W. A. Bowen of the First Baptist church will preach the Thanksgiving sermon.

A special offering for the United Charities will be taken at this service according to those in charge.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

## DeAnn Woman Has All-Year Garden

**Garden Produces \$238.88 Worth of Vegetables Since March**

Mrs. D. M. Samuel of DeAnn Women Home Demonstration club has had a year round garden. There has not been a single day since March 1 of this year, that she has not gotten something out of her garden. She has grown 26 varieties of vegetables, has used barn yard fertilizer and some nitrate of soda as a dress dressing.

Mrs. Samuel has followed directions of the Home Demonstration Agent, Martha Jane Bucher, in both the growing of the garden, the feeding of her family, and the canning of these products for winter's supply of food.

The following is an estimate of the garden:

Value of fresh vegetables used at home	\$71.30
Vegetables sold from garden	56.88
Canned products:	
7 qts. Spinach	1.75
6 qts. English peas	1.50
1 qt. turnip greens	.25
4 pts. strawberry preserves	1.20
5 qts. canned strawberry jam	1.30
20 qts. carrots	6.00
13 qts. carrots	3.25
11 qts. canned beets	2.75
10 qts. pickled beets	2.75
7 qts. kraut	1.75
18 pts. corn	2.70
32 qts. string beans	8.00
5 qts. shelled beans	1.50
3 qts. canned cucumbers	.75
12 qts. cured cucumbers	3.60
9 qts. okra	2.25
16 qts. tomato sauce	6.40
3 qts. tomato puree	1.10
4 qts. tomatoes in puree	2.00
22 qts. canned tomatoes	5.50
10 qts. tomato catsup	4.00
10 pts. green tomato pickle	2.75
11 pts. pickled onions	1.00
6 pts. mixed pickles	1.50
4 pts. mustard pickle	1.00
3 pts. mangoes	.75
Total valuation of garden	\$238.88

Besides these vegetable products, Mrs. Samuel has canned: 37 qts. meat, beef, pork and chicken; 20 qts. fruit juice; 35 pts. preserves; 35 pts. jam and butters; 139 qts. canned fruits and 24 glasses of jelly. Mrs. Samuel has on her pantry shelves enough canned food to feed her family a balanced diet this whole winter. This is just one example of many families in Hempstead county who have canned products sufficient in number to carry them through the time that a garden cannot be grown.

## Governor Weds Mother's Secretary



Taking his own family as well as the public by surprise, Governor Morgan F. Larson, of New Jersey, married Miss Ada Schmidt, his mother's 25-year-old companion and secretary. They're pictured here, following the ceremony at the Larson home in Perth Amboy, N. J., as they left for a three-week honeymoon in Florida. Mrs. Larson came to this country from Denmark five years ago, and it was then, through friends, that she met the Governor and his 82-year-old mother.

## Man Kills Woman and Self Tuesday

**Jealous Over One of Victims**

YONKERS, N. Y.—(P)—Francisco Masoni, 35, Tuesday morning shot and killed Mrs. Dorothy Foster, 32, and Miss Mary O'Connor, 45, after which he took his own life in an apartment he had occupied for the past three months.

Police said they had been told that Masoni was jealous over Mrs. Foster, who he regarded as his sweetheart. A letter found in his possession accused Mrs. Foster of being untrue to him.

## Jonesboro Plans Poultry Exhibit

**Show Is Held in Order to Stimulate More Interest**

JONESBORO.—(UP)—Extensive plans have been made to make the annual Craighead county poultry show, to be held here December 11, 12 and 13, the largest and best ever staged by the poultry association.

Association officials said all entries excepting from Craighead county non-association members will be eligible to prize money and awards.

In addition to the fowl display, including ducks and geese, there will be a showing of rabbits and prize calves. Entries in the show should be made with Charles U. Robison secretary of the poultry association here.

## Traffic On Canal Shows Big Slump

**Figures Showing Decrease Over 1929 Reported To Hurley**

WASHINGTON.—(UP)—A slight decrease in traffic passing through the Panama Canal in the fiscal year 1930 as compared with 1929 was reported to Secretary of War Hurley by Governor H. Burgess of the Canal Zone.

During the last year 6,185 ocean-going vessels transited the canal, as compared with 6,413 in 1929. Tolls amounted to \$27,076,890.01 as compared with \$27,127,376.91 in the previous year, the report showed.

Despite the decrease in traffic this year under 1929, it was greater than in 1928, save for the number of ships passing through and greater, even in that respect, than in any year before 1928, the report said.

Burgess said he did not regard the slight drop in traffic as a sufficient reason to stop work on the new Madison Dam, which will provide more water for use in Gatun Lake, and that construction had continued.

## Camden Resident Grows Citrus Fruit

**Grape Fruit and Lemons Add to Resources of Arkansas**

CAMDEN.—(UP)—Mammoth grapefruit and lemons have made their appearance adding to the long list of agricultural resources of Arkansas the "Wonder State."

Mrs. Ruby Rogers recently exhibited a grapefruit 14 inches in circumference and a perfect full sized Panama lemon. Mrs. Rogers has been an experiment with raising of these semi-tropical fruits in this part of Arkansas. Her trees are three years old.

She is planning to get a number of trees and try to cultivate them for profit. Several years ago Mrs. Rogers grew a banana tree which produced one bunch of 42 small bananas.

## Winter Sports Are Closed on Water

**Speedboats and Bathing Suits Are Now in Storage**

MEMPHIS, Tenn.—(UP)—"Ole Mississippi" is putting on winter wraps and along its course sport followers are stowing away speed boats and putting bathing suits and camping paraphernalia in storage.

The winter season with its crust of ice and freezing temperatures, while not as noticeable in the southern regions, has curtailed navigation and with it boating and other river sports.

The season just ended has been a successful one in the eyes of sport followers. Next year is even more promising.

Two expeditions en route down stream are expected to arouse interest in canoeing, one of these leaving from Chicago with that purpose in mind. The canoe parties—Richard "Dick" Grant and Ernest "Moose" Lassy, Chicago paddlers in one boat, and "Artie Charlie" Planinshek and his small band in another 18-foot canoe—passed here several days ago. Each had started far upstream and were bound for New Orleans and Gulf stream ports.

The spectacular sprint of C. N. Mickler, youthful outboard motorboat pilot of New Orleans, from the Louisiana metropolis to St. Louis, Mo., a distance of 1,174 miles in 78 hours and 51 minutes has done much to increase interest in speed boating.

Mickler's dash did not lift the crown from the head of the veteran pilot and sporting enthusiast, Dr. Louis LeRoy of Memphis, but it may result in a series of speed duels next summer.

Much attention has been given the marathon swim of Fred Newton, Okla., youth who started from Minneapolis July 6 pointing towards New Orleans.

Newton, despite a series of hardships, is expected to complete his 1,800 miles swim shortly.

## 35 Lives Lost In European Storm

**Gale Sweeps Region Already Stricken By Floods**

LONDON.—(P)—A gale still howled across Europe tonight and driving rains pelted a region already stricken by floods and hurricanes which had taken at least 35 lives injured hundreds, made thousands homeless and caused enormous damage.

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## Six Robbers Take Ohio Town in Hand Tuesday Morning

**Dynamite Bank Vault and Escape With \$5,000 in Cash**

**THREATEN CITIZENS**  
**Tell Residents Their Heads Will Be Shot Off If They Stay Outside**

HAMILTON, Ohio.—(P)—Six robbers threatened death to the residents of the small town of Gratiot Tuesday morning after they had cut all communication wires and exploded six charges of dynamite in the vault of the Gratiot State Bank.

It is estimated that \$5,000 was taken by the robbers as they made their escape in waiting automobiles.

During the robbery three men stood outside of the bank and shouted to villagers who had been awakened by the terrific blast of the explosion, "Get back in there or we'll shoot your heads off."

## Sheffield Fails to Identify Partin

**Trial of Alleged Bribery Case Under Way at Little Rock**

LITTLE ROCK.—(P)—Judge J. C. Sheffield, of Helena, failed to identify stand Tuesday to identify George H. Partin, of Memphis, as the man that he saw meeting with Senator John M. Lister as for during the 1929 meeting of the legislature.

Partin is being tried for offering Senator Quarles \$1,000 to vote for a bill to legalize parimutuel betting on horse racing which was passed by the 1929 legislature. The bill passed both houses but was vetoed by Governor Parnell later.

"I am not sure whether this is the man," Sheffield said. "The Mr. Partin I talked to asked me if I thought Senator Quarles would favor horse racing. I told him I did not know but would arrange a meeting for him with the Senator. He asked me if the Senator would accept money. He said he had \$28,000 available for the Senate."

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 The newspaper is an institution developed by modern civilization to  
 disseminate the news of the day, to foster commerce and industry, thru widely  
 distributed advertisements, and to furnish that check upon government which  
 constitution has ever been able to provide.—Col. R. R. McCormick.

## The Star's Platform

- CITY**  
 Apply the revenues of the municipal government to develop the  
 industrial and social resources of Hope.  
 Move city government in 1930, and improved sanitary conditions in  
 the city and business back-wards.  
 Support the Chamber of Commerce.
- COUNTY**  
 A county highway program providing for the construction of a  
 minimum amount of all-weather road each year, to gradually reduce  
 the dirt road mileage.  
 Political and economic support for every scientific agricultural  
 program which offers practical benefits to Hempstead county great  
 and small.  
 Encourage farmer organizations, believing that co-operation of  
 farmers is practical in the country. It is in town.
- STATE**  
 Continued progress on the state highway program.  
 Efficient tax reform, and a more efficient government through  
 the budget system of expenditures.  
 Free Arkansas from the cattle tick.

## To Save the Children

THERE can certainly be no quarrel at all with President Hoover's recent speech on child welfare. The president is at his very best when he discusses that subject; witness the millions of children in Europe who owe their health today largely to his work as relief administrator after the war. He speaks on it with true feeling; and it is to be hoped that his recent utterances will have a wide effect.

It comes as something of a shock to learn that there are in this country not less than 10,000,000 children who are hampered sadly by financial, physical or mental limitations. Leaving out of consideration the enormous sum of childish suffering and unhappiness that that connotes, one cannot help agreeing with the president that even on nonhumanitarian grounds the nation must get busy to help those youngsters. An unhealthy and handicapped generation of children today means an unhealthy and handicapped generation of adults tomorrow—with both the bad health and the other handicaps woefully increased by the passing of time.

It is perfectly true, as the president remarks, that one generation of children properly trained and properly educated would in time end a thousand problems of government.

"One good community nurse," he asserts, "will save a dozen future policemen."

The president's address was unusually timely, coming as it did just at a moment when crime conditions in our big cities are engrossing so much of our attention. It is high time that we recognized that much of this "crime wave" grows quite naturally and inevitably out of the conditions amid which children in city slums have to grow to maturity. The president's remark about one good nurse saving a dozen policemen was not a mere figure of speech; it was the plain, literal truth.

President Hoover adds that more than 80 per cent of these 10,000,000 unfortunate children are not getting the necessary attention, although their deficiencies could easily be prevented or remedied to a large degree. It is a call to action that he has sounded, and the nation should respond to it immediately.

## Legge and Wheat Prices

THE work of Alexander Legge draws more condemnation and praise than perhaps that of any other man. Two Kansas publishers sent him a request to resign, and added that his resignation would "be regarded as a wonderful Christmas present to the taxpayers."

On the other hand, the farm board, under the leadership of Mr. Legge has been able to maintain the price of wheat several cents above that which is being paid in foreign markets. That is not such a great loss to the wheat farmer.

A Chicago trader wired a protest to Senator Borah, declaring that it would bring a panic, but he did not say just how he would cause such a panic.

Senator Borah declined to comment on what his activity would be, but added that he had fought for years for higher prices for farmers, and on the face of the protest it appeared that the board had created exactly the right result.—Fayetteville Leader.

## Events In Spain

TAKING their cue from Madrid and Barcelona, the former the capital city and the other chief city of the recalcitrant Catalan province and center of modern Spanish industry, numerous Spanish towns and cities are the scenes of general strikes. The result has been a serious economic disturbance. These strikes have more than an economic significance, however. The association of students with them, demonstrations by communists, and renewed outbreaks of revolutionary sentiment offer plenty of evidence that their significance is largely political.

The growing frequency of such disturbances in Spain, the increasing boldness of those who wish a substitution for the present form of government, and the increasing scope of the territory in which such outbreaks occur lead to conjecture as to how long it will be before the anti-monarchical factions get together in a concerted, determined action to overthrow the throne and make Spain a republic.—Jonesboro Sun.

## The Dog in the Manger!



## Daily WASHINGTON LETTER

BY RODNEY DUTCHER

NEA Service Writer

WASHINGTON—Millions of voters cast their ballots for congressional candidates with the idea that there ought to be a change. No one can guess how many realized that the collective vote of these millions may have no effect on the lineup in Congress until 12 months after election day.

One consolation the casters of the "protest vote" get is that they elected quite a few more of the type of legislators likely to assemble behind the Norris lame-duck amendment which would get each newly elected Congress into its seats within a couple of months.

Meanwhile the House and Senate will have two of the choicest collections of lame ducks you ever saw in the short session of the Seventy-first Congress which begins Dec. 5 and ends on March 4. Except for those chosen to fill vacancies for unexpired terms, the new senators-elect and representatives-elect won't get into action before Dec. 5, 1931, unless the Senate coalition happens to force a special session before that.

Down but Not Out  
 The season's champion lame duck appears to be Senator Charles S. Deneen of Illinois. Early last April, in the primary which nominated Ruth Hanna McCormick, Republican voters of Illinois decided that they had had enough of Deneen. But the time elapsing between the repudiation of Senator Deneen and the time his successor, James Hamilton Lewis, takes office, is just 20 months, not so far from two years.

A dozen senators who have either retired or been defeated will be on the job in this short session. And four or five times as many members of the House.

Four Republican senators who refused to run for re-election and re-election will be with us. Three were succeeded by Democrats. Their retirement unquestionably saved them just so much expense. They're lame ducks, too—Cliffett of Massachusetts, Coff of West Virginia, and Phipps of Colorado. Gould of Maine, who also retired, probably couldn't have been re-nominated.

Those who were voted into duck-

hood during the primary season are Deneen, and Grundy of Pennsylvania, Republicans, and Blaise of South Carolina, Simmons of North Carolina and Ransdell of Louisiana, Democrats.

The election losers were Pine of Oklahoma and McMaster of South Dakota, Republicans, and Steck of Iowa, Democrat.

The new blood which will be here for the short session includes Senators Morrow of New Jersey, Davis of Pennsylvania, and Carey of Wyoming, Republicans, and three Democrats—Bulkeley of Ohio, McGill of Kansas and Williams of Kentucky. They will all succeed gubernatorial appointees and finish unexpired terms, hence their early arrival.

There are two principal reasons why progressives and others squawk because so many senators-elect and representatives-elect won't be able to help legislate for another year:

1. The long delay in making the will of the electorate effective.
2. The fact that votes of lame duck members are obtained for measures favored by those who are able to bestow political or other rewards.

## What Plan Means

Under the Norris amendment to the Constitution, each new Congress and each new president would take office early in January. The short three-month sessions which so often end in filibusters would be abolished and members after being defeated couldn't vote for or against any more laws.

Four or five times the Senate has passed the amendment almost unanimously. In 1923 it got to a vote in the House but failed to receive the required two-thirds vote, although it had a majority. Last session, as in other years, the Longworth-Tilson-Shell House bill, gaily buried it for many months and didn't let it come to a vote.

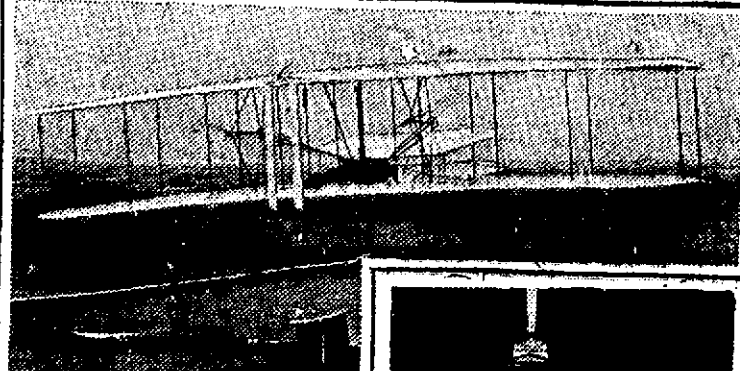
But with the lame ducks and the newly elected Congress seated there is every likelihood that the amendment will receive a two-thirds vote in both House and Senate and thereafter be submitted to the states. No opposition is foreseen in the various state legislatures.

Yarnall—I hear that the Popsicles have purchased a splendid estate, with everything on it that heart could wish.

Darnall—I don't see the point. The Popsicles are always on the go.

Yarnall—That's just it. It's such a wonderful home to go away from.

## To Honor Memory of First Flight



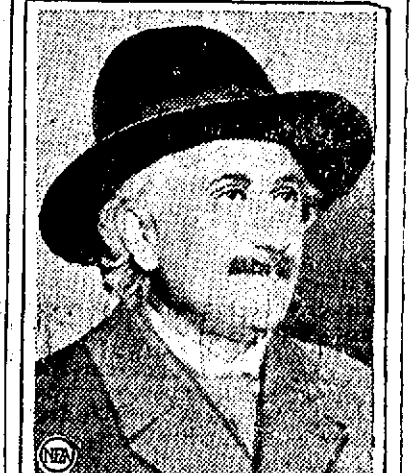
Eyes of the aviation world will again be focused on Kitty Hawk, on the North Carolina coast on Dec. 17 when an anniversary celebration will be held to commemorate the first successful airplane flight made there 27 years ago by the Wright brothers. The original Wright plane is shown above with Wilbur Wright aboard as it made its first flight. At the right is the plan of the memorial pylon being erected as a memorial to the Wright brothers.

## ONCE UPON A TIME



The Marquess of Reading, noted Englishman, was a sailor and later became a stock broker, war-time ambassador to the United States, viceroy of India, journalist and captain of Deal Castle, an ancient and highly honorary post.

## Einstein in His Latest Photo

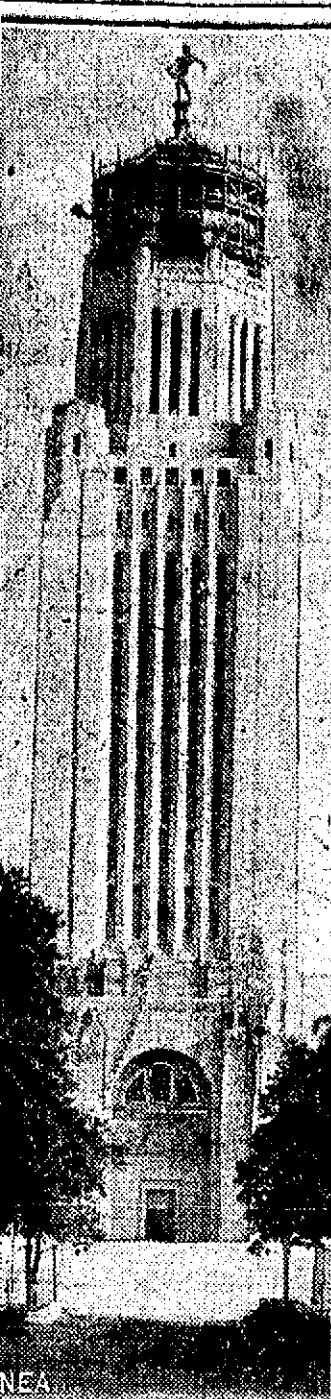


NEA London Bureau  
 This interesting camera study is the latest photograph of Professor Albert Einstein, famous mathematician and originator of the relatively theory that bears his name. The picture was taken on his arrival in London recently.

## PUFFY



## Nebraska's New State Capitol



This photograph shows the tall spire of Nebraska's new state capitol, now nearing completion at Lincoln. The \$12,000,000 building—a radical departure in state capitol design—will be finished next spring. It is the most costly state capitol in the United States except for Pennsylvania.

## ROSTON

We are glad to report Clio Mitchell much improved after an illness of several days.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Butler of Rocky Mount visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Butler Sunday.

P. E. Butler and J. M. Butler made a business trip to Hope Saturday.

The carnival given by Bodew High School Saturday night was well attended and a big success.

R. A. Butler, P. E. Butler and wives spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Goodwin of Bodew.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Love spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Love, of Bodew.

We were very glad to have with us at the singing Saturday night N. C. Furtle of Rocky Mount.

Castoria—Ah hears ye jest married. Ef yo husband beats yo, jest call de peffice and hab him arrested.

Mandy-Lou—Ef mah husband evah beats me Ah will, but when he gets out ob de hospital dis time Ah don think he'll try it again.

Teacher—Johnny, what's the difference between a battle and a massacre.

Johnny—A battle is where a whole lot of whites kill a few Indians, and a massacre is where a lot of Indians kill a few whites.

Onandoff—This is a wonderful month. I wish it would last forever.

Upandown—Yes, I have a lot of bills coming due the first of next month, too.

## BLACK-DRAUGHT LONG IN USE

Georgia Lady Tells of Buying Her First Package of This Medicine in 1876.

Gainesville, Ga.—Theford's Black-Draught has been in use for the relief of constipation, indigestion and biliousness, for nearly one hundred years, and many people tell of having taken it, when needed, all their lives.

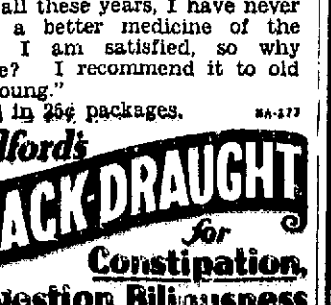
Mrs. M. O. Barron, of 64 West Myrtle Street, this city, recalls her first use of Black-Draught, fifty-three years ago.

"When I lived in Forsythe, Ga., in 1876," says Mrs. Barron, "I bought my first Black-Draught at Mr. Jim Jay's store. He was selling it, and some one in the store recommended it to me for biliousness, and as I was having trouble and needed a purgative, I bought it."

"If I get constipated, I have headaches and feel so tired and sluggish, and such a bad taste in my mouth. But after I take a few doses of Black-Draught I get all right."

"In all these years, I have never found a better medicine of the kind. I am satisfied, so why change? I recommend it to old and young."

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## BARBS

When they put their shoulders to the wheel in South America all that matters is the number of revolutions it will make.

A seat on the stock exchange, at least, is as good a place as any to watch the bulls fight.

In auctioning off an historic Boston bell recently, it is understood the auctioneer had the presence to remark: "Going, Going, Gong!"

In Tennessee, moonshiners are making a whiskey they call "Paradise." One drink gets you right into the spirit of things.

It may be well to put your best foot forward, but it's a pretty risky thing to do in the five o'clock rush.

"Now," began the teacher pleasantly, "what year have we, Harold?"

Little Harold pondered and replied, "1930 in the daytime and 1927 at night."

"How do you figure we are so far behind at night?" asked the teacher.

"It takes three years for starlight to reach us," said the boy.

Mrs. Newlywed—I'm sorry, dear, but dinner is a little burnt tonight.

Mr. Newlywed—What? Did they have a fire at the delicatessen today.

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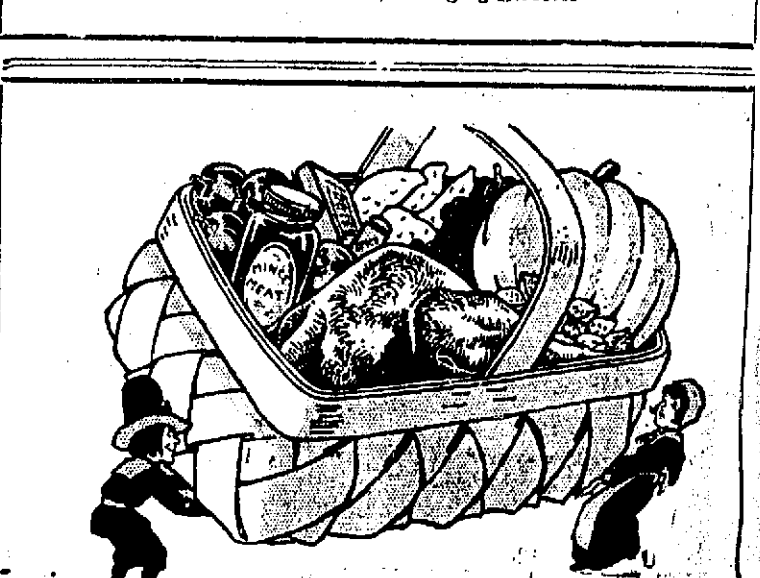
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## EVERYTHING for THANKSGIVING

Since that first Thanksgiving day, at the settlement just off Plymouth Rock, on the Maine shore, the Thanksgiving dinner has been an event. Those were the days when the idea of economy was instilled into Americans, the kind of economy which seeks out Darwin Store cash and carry bargains. Closed Thanksgiving day.

Pudding	Cakes, Delicious as Fruit Cake. Each	22c
Celery	Fancy Bleached-Stalk	9c
Lettuce	Large Crisp Head	7 1/2c
Peppers	Fine For Stuffing	12 1/2c
Cranberries	Eatmore—Quart	17c
Jello	All Flavors—Package	7c
Bananas	Large Size—Pound	4c

Peas, Pumpkins, Peaches, Pineapple and Pudding. In fact, everything for your Thanksgiving Dinner.

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Sausage	100 per cent Pure Pork	20c

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# SOCIETY

Mrs. Sid Henry Telephone 321

Union Thanksgiving services will be held Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the First Methodist church. Dr. W. Bowen, Pastor of the First Baptist church will preach the sermon. The offering will go to the Associated charities. We should be thankful for Thanksgiving; this unique American institution signifies something. It was the fruit of the experiences of the Pilgrims, and its continued observance year by year by their successors testifies that the feeling of gratitude is an abiding sentiment in American hearts. It increases our optimism about the spiritual welfare of the nation. Thanksgiving in the midst of a year of economic depression and unemployment. Certainly. Sometimes we have more real blessings when luxuries are fewest. Our need has turned us to the friend of the needy. This is a blessing which should cause us to be devoutly thankful.

Mrs. Mary Bell King of Cotton Valley was the week end guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Hanson, Jr.

R. S. Ackew, who has spent the past three months in the city looking after business interests left this morning for his home in Lebanon, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Lecke and children of Booneville, Ark., are the guests of Mrs. R. M. Jones.

Mrs. Helen McRae who has been attending Northwestern University, Chicago arrived yesterday for a visit with home folks until after the holidays.

Mrs. J. C. Caillen will leave tonight for Chicago where she will spend Thanksgiving visiting with her son.

Caroy, who is a student in Northwestern University.

Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Allison spent today visiting with friends in Texarkana.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Goddard and baby who have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Keith left yesterday for their home in Gardner, Miss.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Keith will have as Thanksgiving guests, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Kelly of Malvern.

F. H. Thompson and T. J. Matthews left yesterday for a three day's hunt at Stuttgart.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hill and children will be Thanksgiving guests of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Mulkey at the Little River Country Club.

Miss Louise Owens was hostess to the members of the Thursday night Bridge club at her home on West Third street. Beautiful fall flowers brightened the rooms, carrying out the pleasing color scheme of yellow and three tables were arranged for the players, with Mrs. Wilkins seeing high. Following the game, the hostess served a delicious salad plate with hot coffee.

Sam Taylor has returned from a month's vacation with relatives in Sulphur, La.

Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Finley will spend Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Heuston in their new cottage at the Little River Country club.

**Christmas Parade**  
MEMPHIS—(UPI)—More than 150,000 people are expected to witness the annual spirit of Christmas parade to be held here Friday night November 23. Hundreds of floats and 40 bands will be in the line of march.

**Mail Early**  
CAMDEN—(UPI)—J. C. Russell, local postmaster has the jump on other post office officials throughout the country. He had his posters up heralding "Do Your Christmas Mailing Early."

## MOM'N POP

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PHILIP'S  
CAR IS IN  
THE HOSPITAL  
AFTER THE  
BIG CRASH  
AND CRASH  
BIG WORRY  
IS TO GET  
THE BUS  
BACK INTO  
MINE'S  
GARAGE  
BEFORE  
THEY  
TOUGH  
GENT'S  
RETURN  
SPEED!



## Lillian Russell's Daughter Sues



A large share in the estate of her stepfather, the late Alexander P. Moore, former ambassador to Spain, is being sought in a lawsuit at Pittsburgh by Mrs. Dorothy O'Reilly Calvit, above, only daughter of Lillian Russell. Moore's will left Mrs. Calvit \$1000; she insists that he promised her mother, when he married her, that he would care for her child as for his own.

## Cave Dwellers Grow In London

More Than 100,000 of the Population Live in Basements

LONDON—(UPI)—More than 100,000 persons in London are living in basement dwellings, considered unfit for human occupation, according to the County Council.

The revelation followed the yearly report of Dr. F. N. Kay Menzies, medical officer of health and county school medical officer, showing the lowest birth rate ever recorded in the city and an increase in the number of deaths.

However, in contrast to depressing statistics quoted by Dr. Menzies, his report sees a real romance in the emancipation of the London child

## President and Cabinet Pose for New Photo



President Hoover and his Cabinet interrupted affairs of state long enough to file out on the White House lawn the other day to have their picture taken. As you see them here, they are, left to right, seated: Secretary of the Treasury Andrew W. Mellon, Vice President Charles Curtis, President Herbert Hoover, Secretary of State Henry L. Stimson, and Secretary of War Patrick J. Hurley. Standing, left to right: Secretary of Commerce Robert F. Lamont, Secretary of the Interior Ray Lyman Wilbur, Attorney General William DeWitt Mitchell, Postmaster General Walter F. Brown, Secretary of the Navy Charles Francis Adams, Secretary of Agriculture Arthur M. Hyde and Secretary of Labor James J. Davis.

wherein "the council acts as fairly good." The report cited efforts made to entertain for the intervals of places of interest to cultivate the provide organized games and health school work as well as journeys to child's power of observation.

## China Is Planning For New Calendar

M. B. Cotsworth Arrives in China to Help With Formation

PEIPING—(UPI)—M. B. Cotsworth, Canadian member of the League of Nations calendar reform committee has arrived in China to assist the Chinese in forming a national committee to consider a universal calendar.

Cotsworth has made a life work of his favorite hobby. He became interested in a universal calendar, while a young man in Canada, when his work as accountant was made more difficult by the calendar still in use. He has worked ever since for a new calendar.

The Fixed Calendar League now active in many countries, was formed by Cotsworth. One of his early converts was George Eastman, who converted his Kodak Company to the adopted the calendar for his business.

"I can't imagine what's the matter with me, doctor. I'm continually thinking about myself."

"Put, put. You must stop worrying over trifles."

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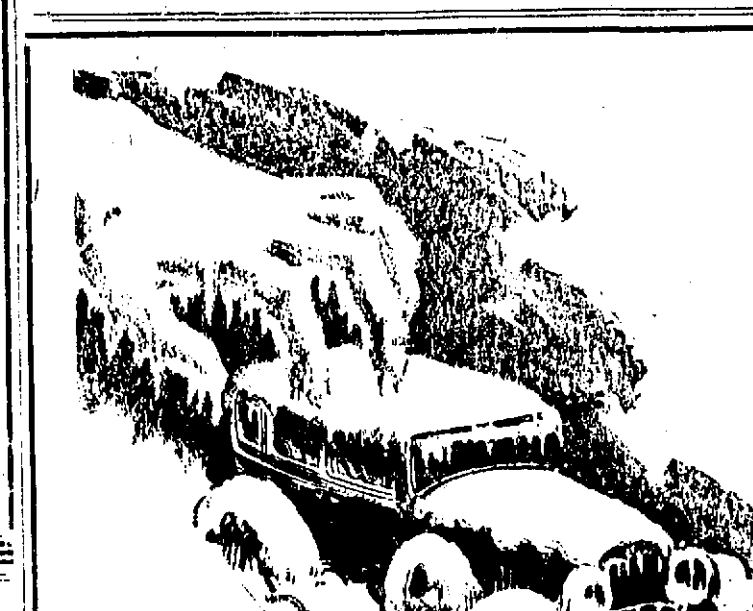
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# SPORT PAGE

## HOOKS AND SLIDES

by William Braucher

**U. of Alabama**  
 The offer to participate in the national charity football game has been rejected by the University of Alabama. Faculty members reported that Alabama's schedule of games made it impossible for the team to get down to work. You might even say that even if Alabama should be chosen to play in the Tournament of Roses game at Pasadena New Year's Day, it would be impossible for the team to play for the same reason. If you did, you probably would be wrong.

**Up in the Air**  
 SAN FRANCISCO and Los Angeles are some distance removed from the other cities in the American and National Leagues. Travel by airplane would make possible their membership. You could even include Havana, Cuba, in a big league based on aerial transportation. The New York Giants could play in St. Louis on Tuesday and open a season in San Francisco on Thursday with plenty of rest in the meantime. Besides, think of the fun the sports writers would have, flying from Boston to Honolulu for a world series jump!

**The Whitneys**  
 HARRY PAYNE WHITNEY is dead, but his horses go running on. Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney has taken up where his father left off. The great race that Pauline won recently at Pimlico, coming from far behind in the mud and mire to win a thrilling stretch run, helped to confirm Cornelius V. in his admiration for the thoroughbred. Cornelius V. is into the Whitney racing pattern as well as does his cousin, John Hay "Jack" Whitney, the son of Payne Whitney. The sons are carrying out the line racing tradition of the Whitneys, an honorable tradition that goes back for generations.

**Notre Dame-Yale**  
 NEGOTIATIONS for a football game between Notre Dame and Yale are under way. The

**DID YOU KNOW THAT—**  
 PAT PAGE, coach at Indiana, is left-handed and so is his first assistant, Wally Middleworth. Thus Indiana has a left-handed attack and it often proves very puzzling to the enemy. Page says three consecutive victories over Northwestern, 1937-39, were due largely to a left-handed attack. This year Indiana has no left-handed players and thus the team is handicapped in execution of the offense. A right-handed player usually runs better to his right. In running to the right he can forward pass while in motion, but in running to the left a right-handed passer must turn to throw. Dick Hanley of Northwestern says he had to turn his defense around to meet Indiana, and then you're only guessing.

proceedings have our vote, as such a contest would send Rock's boys up against a Notre Dame-coached line. Adam Walsh, line coach for the Elis, played center on the Four Horsemen's team, and he is the only man on the Yale coaching staff who is not a Yale man. Walsh has built good lines for Yale (he started his work there only two years ago) and they like him on the campus. The game would be a good one to watch.

**Where Do They Go?**  
 WHERE are the football stars of yesterday? Some of them are bond salesmen, others are peddling insurance, a few are coaching and some more are playing professional football. But the West Point graduates have stepped into the Army as second lieutenants. They get only second lieutenants' pay, also, until they prove they are worth more. That goes even if they did score the touchdown that beat dear old Oglewashed.

**COLUMBUS**  
 An all day quilting will be held at the home of Mrs. J. S. Wilson this week. The quilts will be sent to Vera Lloyd Orphan Home, Monticello. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Walker of Little Rock who have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Bishop returned home Sunday.

Rev. Wiles of Arkadelphia filled his regular appointment at the Baptist church here Sunday and was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Hamilton.

J. T. Cargile of Hope was a business visitor here Tuesday.

C. E. Leverette of Blevins was here Friday.

Moore Terrell and Huddleston of Murfreesboro were business visitors here last week.

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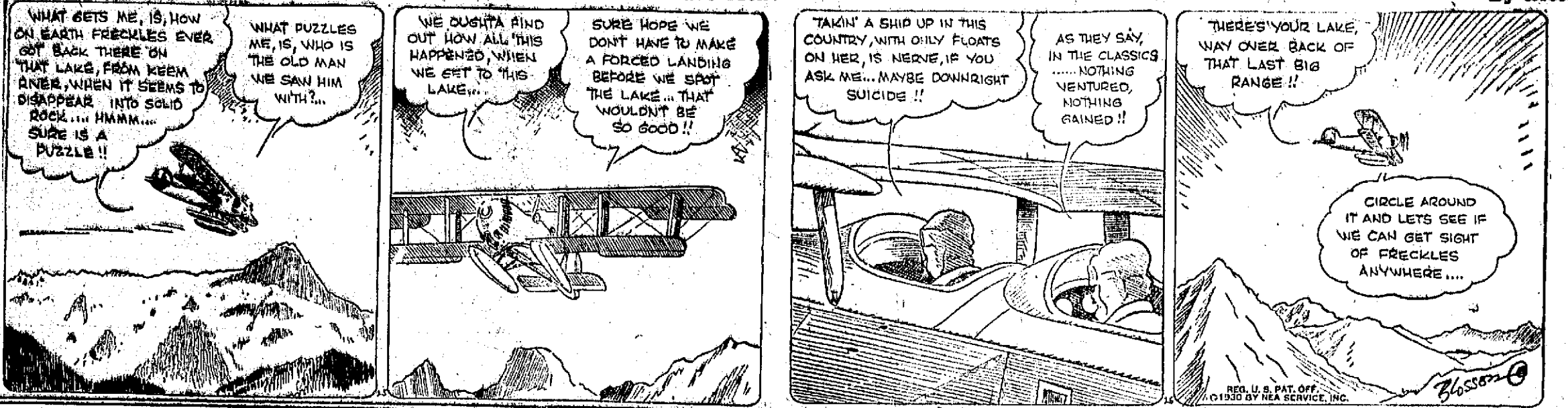
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## FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

Brave Men!

By Blosser



## OUT OUR WAY

By Williams



## Memphis To See Pro Football Tilt

Game Will Be Played in That City Thanksgiving Day

MEMPHIS—(U.P.)—Memphis Tigers, professional football team, play the strong Wichita, Kan., eleven here Thanksgiving Day in their first Turkey Day tilt.

Beating already of such all-American players as Tony Holm, last year Alabama fullback; Billy Banker, Tulane "Blond Blizard"; Larry Bettenbaum, St. Mary's California, center, and captain of the Tigers and George Ackerman, end, the Tigers added two more all-Americans to their roster last week.

They are Title Voss, end, from Detroit, and Ben Franklin, Franklin University. They also secured Harvey Long, tackle, Franklin is a star back and has played against the Tigers twice this season, with the Milwaukee Nite Hawks as did the others.

The Wichita team is undefeated this season and having played a tough schedule. They swamped the Hominy Indians.

Listed in the roster of the Wichita team are: Joe Wright, tackle, all-

Oklahoma selection; Wade Cloud, center, all-Missouri valley from Kansas University; Charles Resser, end, University of Wichita; H. Ingram, guard; Andy Anderson, fullback, University of Wichita; Wilkins, Pontius, quarter; George Kenzer, end, of Wichita. Coach Mike Vermillion, tackle, all-Kansas tackle, captains the team.

The game will be played at Fargason Field where special plans are being made to handle the large crowd expected.

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HODAPP	2B.	GERMAN
FORSECA	1B.	PORTUGUESE
VOSNIK	LF.	BOHEMIAN
AVERRILL	CF.	FRENCH
PORTER	R.F.	ENGLISH
SEWELL	C.	AMERICAN
VARONOWSKI	P.	POL

THE PORTLAND CLUB WANTED \$50,000 FOR MICK COCHRANE WHEN HE WAS READY FOR THE BIG LEAGUES. CANNIE MACK BALKED AT THE PRICE, BUT MADE A DEAL FOR THE ENTIRE TEAM AT THE PRICE OF \$15,000.



"LITTLE LEFT HAND" WHO CLAIMS TO BE 135 YEARS OLD IS A CHEER LEADER AT HASKELL INSTITUTE

## By Laufer



## 'Milky Way' Leads to Learning



These three sisters, Donna (left), Bernadean (in truck) and Dorothy Barnes, deliver most of the milk in Missouri Valley, Iowa. Their work keeps Donna and Dorothy in school.

MISSOURI VALLEY, Iowa.—(U.P.)—Milkmaids three are Bernadean, Donna and Dorothy Barnes—and they deliver most of this town's milk.

Through the trio's efforts the two younger girls, Donna and Dorothy, 15-year-old twins, are enabled to continue their school work. They also help support a younger sister and brother.

Bernadean, 20, holds two jobs. Five mornings a week she arises at 4 o'clock and drives her truck out to the dairy farm (O. A. Beaman, a distance of 11 miles. With Beaman she delivers the route.

Her milk deliveries finished, she hastens home to change clothes and goes to her job in a Missouri Valley coal office. From 9:30 until 6 o'clock she works there.

On Saturdays and holidays, Bernadean is assisted on the milk route by Donna and Dorothy.

Bernadean took the delivery job three years ago when her father died. Later she was offered the coal office job, but refused to discontinue her delivery route—so she handles both. "It isn't so bad and it helps the children to remain in school," she says. "Anyway, we don't have to milk the cows."



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FANCY CELERY	Bleached Stalk	10c
SHELLED PECANS	Pound	60c
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# Murder at Bridge

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by ANNE AUSTIN  
author of  
"THE BLACK PIGEON"  
"THE AVENTING PARROT"  
"MURDER BACKSTAIRS"



**BEGIN HERE TODAY**  
JUANITA SELIM, lovely blond-haired beauty, found at her dressing table, shot through the heart by EUGENE MARSHALL, when Karen comes to tell her the bridge score. RONNIE DUNDEE, chief investigator, called by PENNY CRANE, society girl, now the district attorney's secretary, contests CAPTAIN STRAWN's theory that Nita was shot from the window opposite the table by a gunman using a revolver with a silencer. Dundee leaves with Nita to the bedroom at about 5:27. Outside, TRACY MILES comes in. She asked him to make cocktails, and he went into the dining room, followed by LOIS DUNLAP. When the body was discovered, at the end of the hall, no one was seen in the bedroom or in the foyer in the hallway or in the study outside. Dundee asks Strawn to hunt for RALPH HAMMOND, once penny's property, but named by Nita.

## HOW GO ON WITH THE STORY

### CHAPTER VI

"PARDON! Awfully sorry," Clive Hammond muttered, as he bent to pick up the fragments of a colored pottery ashtray which he and his fiancée, Polly Beale, had been sharing.

"Don't worry—about picking it up," Polly commended in her brusque voice, but Dundee, listening intently, was sure of a very slight pause between the two parts of her sentence.

He glanced at the couple—the tall, masculine-looking girl lounging deep in an armchair, Clive Hammond, rather unusually good-looking with his dark red hair and brown eyes.

"Go on, Miss Crane," the detective urged, as if he were impatient of the delay. "About that note or letter?"

"It was in a blue-gray envelope, with printing or engraving in the upper left-hand corner, like business firms use," she said. "I couldn't help seeing, since I sat so near Nita. She seemed startled—or, well, maybe I'd better say surprised and a little sore—but she tore it open and read it at a glance, almost, which—well, I say it must have been only a note. But while she was reading it she frowned, then smiled, as if something had amused or—or—"

"Who smiled like any woman reading a love letter?" Carolyn Drake interrupted positively. "I myself was sure that one of her many admirers had broken an engagement, but had signed himself, 'With all my love, darling—your own So-and-so!'"

DUNDEE wondered if even Carolyn Drake's husband, the carefully groomed and dignified John C. Drake, bank vice president, had ever sent her such a note, but he did not let his pencil slow down, for Penny was talking again:

"I think you are assuming a little too much, Carolyn. . . . But let that pass. At any rate, Nita didn't say a word about the contents of the note, and naturally no one asked a question. Then we all drove over here, and found Polly waiting in her own coupe, in the

"I want to see the death hand played exactly as it was being played while Nita Selim was being murdered."

Ralph Hammond brought her and was her dinner partner.

"Thank you. . . . Now, Penny. You were saying the maid had not returned—"

"On, but she had!" Penny answered impatiently. "If I'm going to be interrupted so much—Well, Nita rang the bell and Lydia came, tying on her apron. Nita kissed her on the cheek that wasn't swollen, and asked her why she hadn't heard the bell, because she had dropped asleep in her room."

"T-SEE," Dundee acknowledged, and underlined heavily another note in his scrawled shorthand.

"So Lydia took our hats and summer coats and put them in the hall closet, and then followed Nita, who was calling to her, on into Nita's bedroom. We thought she either wanted to give directions about the maidings for the cocktails and the sandwiches, or to console poor Lydia for the awful pain she had had at the dentist's, so we didn't bridge tables, found our places, and were ready to play when Nita joined us. Nita and Karen—"

"Just a minute, Penny. . . . Did any of you, then or later, until Mrs. Marshall discovered the tragedy, go into Mrs. Selim's bedroom?"

"There was no need for us to," Penny told him. "There's a lavatory with a dressing table right behind the staircase. I, for one, didn't go into Nita's room until after Karen screamed."

There was a chorus of similar denials on the part of everyone present.

"All right, Penny. Go ahead, please."

"I was going to tell you how we were seated for bridge, if that interests you," Penny said, rather faintly.

"It interests me intensely," Dundee assured her, smiling.

"Then it was this way," began Penny, thawing instantly. "Karen and Nita and Carolyn and I were at this table, and she pointed to the table nearer the hall. 'Flora, Polly, Janet and Lois were at the other. We played at those tables all afternoon. We simply pivoted at our own table after the end of each rubber. When Nita became dummy—'"

"Forgive me," Dundee begged, as he interrupted her again. "I'd like to ask Mrs. Dunlap a question. . . . Mrs. Dunlap, since you were at the other table, perhaps you will tell me what your partner and opponents were doing just before Mrs. Selim became dummy?"

"It's rather hard to think of bridge now, Mr. Dundee," she said at last. "But—yes, of course I remember! We had finished a rubber and had decided there would be no time for another, since it was so near 5:30—"

"That last rubber, please, Mrs. Dunlap," Dundee suggested. "Who were partners, and just when was it finished?"

"FLORA"—Lois turned toward Mrs. Miles. "You and I were partners, weren't we? . . . Of course! Remember you were dummy and I played the hand? You went out to telephone, didn't you? . . . That's right! I remember clearly now! Flora said she had to telephone the house to see how her two babies—"

"In the little foyer between the hall and Mrs. Selim's room?"

"Yes, of course," Lois Dunlap answered, but Dundee's eyes were upon Flora Miles, and he saw her naturally sallow face go yellow under his too-thick rouge. "I played the hand and made my bid, although Flora and I had gone down 400 the hand before," Lois continued, with a rueful twinkle of her pleasant eyes. "But when the score was totted up, I found I'd won a bit after all. Our winnings go to the Forsythe Alumnae Scholarship Fund," she explained.

"Yes, I know," Dundee nodded. "And then—"

"Polly asked the other table how they stood and Nita said, 'One game to go on this rubber, provided we make it.' Karen was dealing the cards then, and Nita was looking very happy—she'd been winning pretty steadily, I think—"

"Sorry, Mrs. Dunlap. . . . How did the players at your table dispose of themselves then—that is, immediately after you had finished playing the last hand, and Mrs. Marshall was dealing at the other table?"

Lois screwed up her forehead. "Let me think—I know what I did. I went over to watch the game at the other table, and stayed there till Tracy—Mr. Miles—came in for cocktails. I can't tell you exactly what the other three did."

Suddenly Dundee sprang to his feet. "I am going to make what will seem an absurd request," he said tensely. "I am going to ask you all—the women, I mean—to take your places at the bridge tables. And then—"

"He paused for an instant, his blue eyes hard—"I want to see the death hand played exactly as it was played while Nita Selim was being murdered!"

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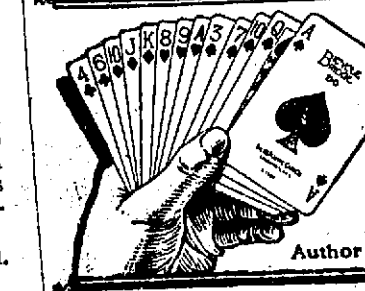
## Alabama Fan



One of the most ardent football fans in the entire country is Dr. George H. Denny, above, president of the University of Alabama. Dr. Denny never misses a practice session of the Crimson Tide and always cheers like an undergraduate at the home games. Several times, "Mike," as he is known to the student body, has ventured too close to the scrimmages and has been spilt by the players. His glasses were broken to bits several years ago when he was tumbled by Riggs Stephenson, Chicago Cub outfielder and former Alabama footballer.

Bureau of Census during month of October there were active in the cotton growing states 17,100,000 cotton spinning spindles compared with 18,000,000 for October a year ago.

New England mill centers said that business was confined only to purchases of small lots sufficient to cover immediate needs. Manufacturers were said to be awaiting resumption of cloth and yarn demand before making fresh purchases of raw material however there was some looking around for lower grades of cotton. According to Bureau of Census the New England states during October there were active in the cotton growing states 17,100,000 cotton spinning spindles compared with 18,000,000 for October a year ago.



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## League Estimates 500 Tons Opiate Sold in 1929

GENEVA.—Five hundred tons of opium, cocaine, morphine and other harmful drugs found their way into the illicit trade of the underworld last year, according to the Central Board of the League of Nations.

Of this amount, raw opium and Indian hemp naturally played the important role as far as were bulk concerned, but cocaine, morphine, various forms of manufactured opium, diacetylmorphine and other manufactured products, that are far more powerful and deadly in their more concentrated forms came in for goodly amount.

The figures show that a total of nearly 50 tons of such drugs was seized last year. The principal drugs seized during the past year were raw opium, opium in form of tinctures, morphine, diacetylmorphine, coca leaves, crude cocaine, cocaine, Indian hemp and Indian hemp resin.

## "Pee-wee" Autos Out Famous London Donkeys

LONDON.—Small motor cars, such as the wee Austin, Sevens and Morris now becoming popular in the United States, are ousting the donkeys from London's streets.

Tradesmen are also utilizing more motorcycle cabs, so that there is now a donkey shortage in England, and many Irish breeders have closed down. Donkeys now sell for \$40; formerly they were \$25.

## Universal Goat

Calico—"Who's the responsible man here?"

Office Boy—"If you mean the fellow that always gets the blame, it's me."—Journal of Education.

Mrs. Clubber—"How did you control your husband while you are away?"

Mrs. Onthege—"I leave the baby with him."

Reader—"How can I drive a nail without hitting my fingers?"

Question Box Editor—"Hold the hammer in both hands!"

## How to play Bridge AUCTION or CONTRACT

by Wynne Ferguson

Author of "PRACTICAL AUCTION BRIDGE"

There is undoubtedly a growing desire among auction players to try out the game of Contract Bridge, and the tendency seems to warrant the conclusion that Contract is going to displace Auction. The latter game is still popular, however, and it takes a long time to get rid of it.

They are also trying out a new game called "The Whist Club of England," and in that connection the following remarks of a well-known English writer are interesting and amusing:

"No one yet knows how to play it—neither the Clubman, nor the pundit scholars, nor the Portland Club, nor the newspaper writers."

"Everyone reacts to the new order in conformity with their constitutions. The clubman has started to grumble, the pundit has started to instruct, the

Portland Club has started to legislate, and the newspaper critics, who were lately claiming the honour of keeping Contract out, are now claiming the honour of having introduced it. All of which presents a merry and vivacious spectacle."

The Portland Club referred to in the quotation is the London Club that frames the English Laws of Auction, thus corresponding to the Whist Club of New York in this country.

There is a very instructive hand. All of the cards are given and the play of the first two tricks. On the third trick the declarer must make the right play or he cannot go game. It is a play that comes up very frequently and should be studied very carefully until the reader is sure that the situation is thoroughly understood.

## Example Hand

Hearts—J, 8, 2  
Clubs—K, Q, 10, 3  
Diamonds—A, K, 6, 4, 3  
Spades—9, 2

Hearts—10, 6, 3  
Clubs—J, 9, 8, 7, 2  
Diamonds—10, 9, 8, 5  
Spades—6

Hearts—5, 4  
Clubs—A, 5, 4  
Diamonds—A, 7, 2  
Spades—A, K, Q, J, 10

Hearts—A, 9, 6  
Clubs—10, 8  
Diamonds—none  
Spades—6, 5, 2

Hearts—none  
Clubs—J, 9, 5  
Diamonds—7, 2  
Spades—A, Q, 3

Spades are trumps and Z is playing in the lead. How can Y make five tricks against any defense?

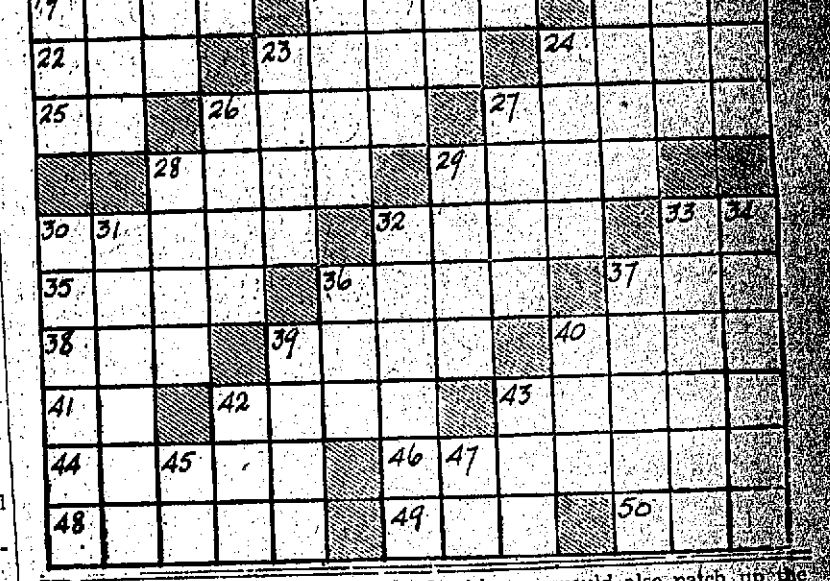
Solution: Z should lead the ace of spades, and if so, can play the choice of two plays (a) or (b) he forced to win the third trick or (b) he forced to win the third trick. (a) Suppose at trick one B plays the four of spades. At trick two Z should lead the queen of spades and Y should discard the trey of hearts. At trick three Z should play the trey of spades and B is thus forced in the lead and must lead diamonds. He can lead the ace and follow with a low diamond. If he makes it, Y will win two diamonds and one heart trick. If B leads a low diamond, Z should play the seven of diamonds and A is forced to discard. He cannot discard a club or Z's clubs are good, so he is forced to discard a heart. Y should allow Z to win the trick. Z should now play the jack of clubs and a low club.

## Daily Cross-word Puzzle

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ACROSS  
1. Naval district  
2. British war  
3. Founded  
4. Dr. Williams' con  
5. Volcanic con  
6. Yacht  
7. Takes food  
8. Russian inland sea  
9. AHS  
10. Godly woman  
11. The Greek  
12. Long  
13. Conits  
14. Compass point  
15. A complete  
16. Aches a fond  
17. Deep  
18. Deep hole  
19. Promontory  
20. Loose  
21. Italian river

DOWN  
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Stranger—Rastus, what do you do for a living?  
Rastus—Nuthin, suh.  
Stranger—Well, that's a pleasant job. I must say. No worries attached to it.  
Rastus—Naw, suh. 'Ceptin' Ah mough lose it.

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WANTED TO RENT—Small modern, furnished house. Phone 908 p.d.

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Two or three rooms. Mrs. R. M. Jones. Phone 207.

## Cotton Is Lower During Last Week

Exports Decline—Ginnings Exceed Last Year at This Time

MEMPHIS.—(U. S. Dept. Agriculture)—The cotton market was quiet and slightly lower for the week ending November 21, according to the weekly report of the United States Department of Agriculture. The report says:

Demand seemed to center more on cottons in the long lengths of staple in the higher grades and in the short staple cottons in the lower grades. Exports continue below those of a year ago, and all of the larger countries have taken less American cotton than last season, with the exception of France.

Ginnings to November 21 were larger than the like period the season before. The average price of Mid. 1-8 inch cotton as compiled from quotations at the ten markets on November 21 was 10.05 cents compared with 10.23 cents November 14 and 16.80 cents same day last season.

Sales of spot cotton reported by the ten markets for past week amounted to 163,459 bales against 190,055 previous week and 177,150 same week previous season. Domestic and foreign demand was said to continue moderate. According to the Weather Bureau during past week rains were frequent and in many places heavy in most of the cotton belt though there was considerable fair weather in the northwestern portion. Exports to November 21 this season amounted to 2,900,000 bales against 3,000,000 a year ago. According to Bureau of Census the number of bales ginned from the 1930 crop prior to November 14 was 11,962,364, compared with 11,890,006 in 1929 for the corresponding period. According to Bureau of Census during month of October there were operated at some time 26,000,000 cotton spinning spindles, compared with 26,100,000 for September and 30,100,000 for October 1929.

Grade differences were slightly revised during the past week and on November 21 the average of the ten markets for white Str. Low Mid. and Low Mid. was 69 points off Middling and 160 respectively. A year ago the average for these grades was 76 and 170.

Premium staple cotton commanded some attention past week especially those longer lengths in the higher white grades. There seemed to be good inquiry for the lengths 1-3-16 inch and longer with however only moderate business done on account of scarcity of offerings covering such cotton.

Southern mill centers said that only moderate demand for raw cotton was in evidence past week with attention of buyers largely centering on grades below Mid. in lengths 7-8 inch up to and including 1-1-32 inch. Some reports said inquiries for such cotton covered shipments well into spring months. Inquiries from Gaston county (N. C.) covered premium staple cottons of 1-3-16 inch and longer in higher white grades. According to

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## 28 Lives Are Saved By Mauretania in Mid-Atlantic



A few moments after the camera shutter clicked to make this picture, cut on the storm-swept Atlantic 1100 miles east of New York, the ship shown in the photo—the Swedish merchant vessel Ovidia—turned farther over on her side, hesitated for a moment and then plunged to the bottom of the sea. The 28 members of her crew, including the woman, had been saved just in time by the arrival of the famous liner Mauretania, from whose deck a passenger took this exclusive NEA Service picture.



As this picture was taken 27 men and one woman were just emerging from the storm-lashed valley of the shadow of death—saved from drowning in mid-Atlantic by the timely arrival of the liner Mauretania, summoned by wireless when the steamer Ovidia, battered by high waves, sprang a leak and foundered. The picture, taken by a passenger on the Mauretania, shows a boat load of the Ovidia's survivors alongside the big liner. Several sailors are making their way up the ladder to the deck.

## Uniform Laws For Roads Are Needed

### Chicago Meeting Makes Many Recommendations to States

CHICAGO—(U.P.)—Highway and skyway traffic was considered at the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, which opened in Chicago recently. Air and land traffic have much in common, notably in the need for uniform legislation and regulation and provision of adequate facilities, the conference found.

The conference, called by the Chamber of Commerce of the United States with the co-operation of the Chicago Association of Commerce, the Aeronautical Chamber of Commerce of America and the National Conference of Street and Highway Safety, passed a number of resolutions relative to safety measures.

The estimated annual 30,000 auto-

mobile fatalities and an economic loss of nearly \$1,000,000,000 and the additional annual loss in excess of \$2,000,000,000 due to traffic and congestion delays in street and highway transportation call for earnest effort towards improvement, the conference declared.

The conference recommended the use of the reports of the National Conference on Street and Highway Safety, as well as the adoption by all states of drivers' license laws. States with such laws have experienced a reduction of approximately 25 per cent in fatalities and accidents.

For development of air transportation, the conference recommended uniform legislation requiring federal licenses for aircraft and airmen operating within state boundaries; state air traffic rules to conform with federal regulation; state legislation enabling towns, municipalities or counties to acquire suitable sites for airports, even through condemnation proceedings if necessary; adoption of the Uniform Airport Field Rules recommended by the Department of commerce.

### OAK GROVE

The party at Mr. and Mrs. George Pickard's Thursday night was well attended.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Purcell were shopping in Hope Saturday.

Sam England and Miss Lucille Futtman were married Saturday night. We hope them a long and happy life.

### CARD OF THANKS

We deeply appreciate the many acts of kindness and words of sympathy during the illness and in the death of our husband and father, Henry Rider. We are especially thankful for the many beautiful floral offerings.

The Rider family.

## Marble Seaplane Pays Tribute to French Heroes

LE HAVRE—(U.P.)—A great marble seaplane lies crushed against a giant granite iceberg to mark the spot along the Seine, at Caudebec, where the French seaplane, Latham 47, started for the North, in search of Nobles and his men. It never returned.

The monument has been completed and the French government is making arrangements for its dedication in December. The Minister of Air, M. Laurent Eynac, has invited all the great aviators of the world to attend. Costes and Bellonte have already accepted.

The monument is based on the supposition that the seaplane collided with an iceberg in the fog after Captain Gaubault took on board Amundsen and the Arctic pilot, Lieut. Dietrichson. The other three members of the crew were Lieut. de Yuverville, wireless operator Valette and Mechanic Brany.

The names "Caudebec, Bergen, Tomsett," reminders of the fatal flight, are on one side of the monument and in a base relief the names of the six crew and passengers.

### May Resume Religion

MEXICO CITY—(U.P.)—A special commission is now studying the advisability of permitting private schools to resume religious instruction, according to a Department of Education announcement. The right of private schools to give religious instruction was one of the most important points in the recent religious conflict.

## New Machine For Testing Asphalt

### The Bureau of Standards Speeds Up Work on Samples

WASHINGTON—(U.P.)—A machine that deteriorates asphalt roofing material as much in a few days as months of exposure to the weather is the latest device used at the Bureau of Standards.

It is used to speed up tests. If the samples are prepared and exposed to the weather, a long time must elapse before it can be learned whether or not they wear well. But with the machine, this information can be obtained quickly.

The device has been used by O. G. Strleter, research associate of the Asphalt Shingle and Roofing Institute. It consists of three carbon arc lamps operating at 220 volts and 13 amperes. Each lamp is surrounded by a cylinder with three-inch slots, in back of which are inserted the test panels. The entire cylinder is turned by a motor once in 20 minutes. Vertical water jets can be turned on, imitating light rain, while ordinary lawn sprinklers, with rotating arms, are used for vigorous spraying to simulate hard rain. Because of the heat produced by the lamps, the cylinders are ordinarily kept at a temperature of 140 degrees, but a separate refrigerating unit can be used to cool them, in order to produce the effects of sudden temperature changes.

Panels of asphalt coated on aluminum, similar to those used in the "weathering" machine, were exposed to the open air for a long time, and it was found that the effects were practically the same.

By means of the effects produced by weathering the asphalt samples, they may be classified, and this is being checked with their chemical analyses.

## Scientist 'Marries' U. S. Grapevines to France

PARIS—(U.P.)—If American grapevines do not produce wine in the United States it is no fault of the French, who have just succeeded, in "marrying" a French to an American vine to produce a better quality of wine.

Until the beginning of the present century excellent wines were made in Brittany. Eventually disease ruined the industry.

Professor Lucien Daniel, of the University of Rennes, has just succeeded in "marrying" the harder but poor wine-producing American grapevine with the French vine to produce a hybrid which can resist the phylloxera and dampness of Brittany.

After years of experiment, Professor Daniel has perfected a hybrid capable of producing 1500 gallons of good wine per two acres. The American blood has given the French resistance and vigor.

## Mob Violence Feared as Texas Girl Attacked

PORT ARTHUR, Tex.—(U.P.)—Fears of mob violence caused officers here to take a man giving his name as John Peilsen to a jail out of the county following his arrest for an attack on a 12-year-old girl here.

The young white man, about 28, was arrested late Sunday by county officers and a charge of criminal assault was filed against him before Justice T. A. Butler. No date for hearing has been set.

## Promoter Gives Up After Flight



Charles V. Bob, stock promoter who disappeared five weeks ago when authorities announced that investors in his companies faced a loss of \$6,000,000, here is pictured as he appeared outside the district attorney's office in New York after his surrender. Bob was released in \$35,000 bail after pleading not guilty to three counts charging grand larceny in indictments returned against him, his brother, and two other business associates.

## Where 18 Died and 100 Were Hurt in Oklahoma Cyclone



This graphic picture shows rescue workers toiling among the ruins of the town of Bethany, Okla.—on the outskirts of Oklahoma City—after a cyclone descended on the place and destroyed 200 houses. Eighteen people were killed in the blast and more than 100 were injured; the workers photographed here are delving in the wreckage to find the injured and remove the bodies of the dead.

## New French Laws Still Negatives' Mournful Blues

PARIS—(U.P.)—There is gloom in that belt of Montmartre which is known locally as "Little Harlem." The French Government has enforced a new decree which threatens the vast army of saxophone tooters and drumstick jugglers with almost chronic unemployment.

The decree is that all restaurants, casinos and cabarets engaging American bands are legally required to furnish employment at the same to a French band.

Some time ago, the French government made use of old immigration laws to prevent American jazz bands coming to France. The withholding of labor permits was sufficient to keep the bands away. That law could not be applied to the bands already in the country, so the new decree was decided upon. That is why there is rest feeling in the moaning of saxophones and the blues picked off the banjos are real blue.

## Remarque Refuses to See Movie of Famed Story

PARIS—(U.P.)—Erich Maria Remarque is an admirer of the movies but while in Paris, on vacation, has refused to see "All Quiet on the Western Front." He even refused to attend the filming of his story.

"A sort of shame makes me refuse to see the acting anew of those atrocities of wartime," Remarque explained.

Remarque told friends that he is considering a third book.

### SPRING HILL

School is progressing nicely. Elsie Huckabee made a trip to Waldo Saturday.

The singing at this place was well attended. Miss Althia Crabb and Mary Prother were shopping in Hope Saturday.

There will be a basketball game at Spring Hill Thursday afternoon against Patmos.

## Personal Mention

Rev. John G. Reese returned Monday from El Dorado, where he has been conducting a bible school at the Church of Christ.

Tuesday night Rev. John G. Reese Hardin College at Morrilton.

"Where is that beautiful canary bird of yours that used to sing so clearly and sweetly?" asked Mrs. Weatherbee. "I had to sell him," Mrs. Butlam said tearfully. "My son left the cage on the radio set and he learned static."—Hardware Age.

### The Horse Laugh

"The true value of horse sense," says the Louisville Times, "is shown by the fact that the horse was afraid of the automobile during the period in which the pedestrian laughed at it."

## Belasco III



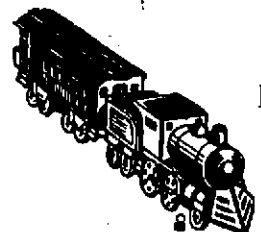
NEA New York Bureau. David Belasco, "grand old man of the stage," is shown here in one of his latest portraits. The noted playwright has been seriously ill at his home in New York.



## Santa Claus (in Person) Arrives In Hope Friday!

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Steam Shovel	\$1.49
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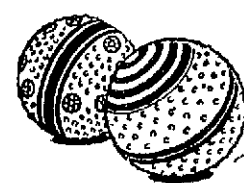
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Big Mama doll, hat and tam to match.	
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Baby dolls	49c and 25c
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Chairs	49c
Rocking chairs	79c

Liberty Bus Co. Truck	10c
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AM LEAVING NORTH POLE IMMEDIATELY STOP WILL ARRIVE HOPE FRIDAY 3:15 P. M. MISSOURI PACIFIC STATION STOP ANXIOUS TO SEE ALL MY OLD FRIENDS IN HOPE AGAIN STOP HAVE BAG FILLED CHOCK FULL FREE TOYS FOR ALL CHILDREN WHO ARE THERE TO MEET ME STOP MAKING TOYLAND HEADQUARTERS IN YOUR STORE TILL DECEMBER 25TH STOP BEST WISHES STOP SEE YOU SOON SANTA CLAUS



### Gifts For Small Folks

Cellulose head, cloth body dolls	19c
Berets	49c and 98c
Comb and brush sets	49c
Tooth brush and doll holder	19c
Silk baby cloak, pink blue and white	\$1.49
Wool knit sacques	98c and 49c
Sweater and beret to match	98c

### Favorite Games

Pool tables	\$9.85, \$6.95 and \$4.95
Golf Links	98c
Tool chests and tools	\$1.98
Toy castle and bridge	49c
Chinese indoor baseball	69c
Ten pins	49c

## "LAYAWAY"

A 25 per cent deposits will hold any gift or toy selected at Burr's. We will "Layaway" the present until you are ready to call for it.

## NOTICE

All Home fire, auto, plate-glass and burglary insurance policies in our agency have been bound and are protected by the Firemen's Insurance Company and Commercial Casualty Insurance Company, of Newark, N. J.

New policies will be written for the unexpired term as soon as possible.

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